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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINER GROUP 2812

In re Application of:

Katsuya MURAKAMI, et al.

Application No.: 10/040,763

Filed: January 9, 2002

For: CLEANING AND REMANUFACTURING  
METHODS FOR DEVELOPING CONTAINER

Docket No. 00684.003308

Confirmation No.: 2153

Examiner: Zeinab E. El-Arini

Group Art Unit: 1746

Date: April 12, 2004

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Commissioner for Patents  
Post Office Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

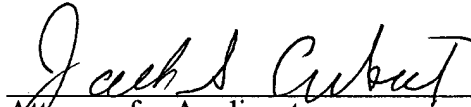
☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	20	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	x \$43 \$86	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290						\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0.00

- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the fee for a \_\_\_\_ month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' attorney, William M. Wannisky, may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our New York office at the address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated January 12, 2004, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application, as follows pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.